

on the forbidden list.

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, and that was...you could do that now any time, except during the deer season.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: But, Senator Lamb, if a person went out hunting such animals the aim could be just to kill because there is something there to be killed. But it is not likely that that would be the situation, is it? Or is it? I'm trying to find out what kind of people go out here killing these animals. So, is it common for them, right now without this bill, to go out and just shoot something because they are allowed to shoot it?

SENATOR LAMB: I would say the great majority of the people, at least in our area, hunt coyotes and they hunt them because of the fur.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Um huh.

SENATOR LAMB: It brings in money.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Definitely.

SENATOR LAMB: So, that was the reason. You may have some people that are target practicing, you may have some people that are shooting prairie dogs or whatever, and that is not illegal. But it is illegal, during the hunting season, if you don't have a deer permit, under this bill.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Right, because the deer permit is saying under that permit it is a blanket to shoot anything available, but without it, as you pointed out, you may shoot a deer when you are not licensed to do so. So, that is why your bill is coming in.

SENATOR LAMB: Yes, the deer permit would allow you to do what you can do during the rest of the year when it is not the deer season.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: In addition to getting Bambi now. Right. Members of the Legislature, on this bill I will oppose it, as I do all hunting bills. I've had it explained to me that there come occasions when there are too many animals in a given area, they cause problems, maybe they don't have natural enemies or whatever reason arises, the human beings in the area feel that the animals are encroaching on their territory and they need to